

**Remarks/Arguments:**

Claims 1 and 2 have been rejected under 35 U.S.C. § 102(b) as being anticipated by Du et al. (U.S. Patent No. 6,809,686). It is respectfully submitted, however, that these claims are patentable over Du for the reasons set forth below.

Applicant's invention, as recited by claim 1, includes a feature which is neither disclosed nor suggested by the art of record, namely:

... a planar antenna electrode ...

... a first upper antenna electrode ... has a first opening facing the planar antenna electrode ...

A first upper antenna electrode is illustrated, for example, in Applicant's Figure 1 where antenna electrode 4b is shown. Furthermore, as shown in Figure 1, the upper antenna electrode includes an opening.

This is in contrast with Du where antenna 60 does not include an opening. During an informal discussion with the Examiner several months ago, the claim language set forth above was indicated as overcoming the present rejection of record. Accordingly, allowance of claim 1 is respectfully requested.

Claim 2 is patentable by virtue of their dependency on allowable claim 1.

Claims 3-10 were indicated as being allowable if rewritten into independent form. These claims, however, are patentable by virtue of their dependency on allowable claim 1.

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In view of the amendments and arguments set forth above, the above-identified application is in condition for allowance, which action is respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,



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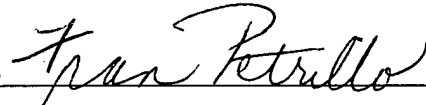
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